

SUPPLEMENT

THE INSTITUTION OF PRODUCTION ENGINEERS, 10 CHESTERFIELD STREET, MAYFAIR, LONDON, W.1

SCOTLAND REGION CONFERENCE 1962

The Scotland Region of the Institution is to hold a One-Day Conference in Glasgow on Thursday, 8th March, 1962, in the St. Enoch Station Hotel. The Conference will deal with aspects of production engineering in Scotland, and full details will be announced in subsequent issues of the Journal Supplement.

Meantime, members are asked to note the date and reserve it in their diaries.

"PRODUCTION CONTROL AS A MEANS TO HIGHER PRODUCTIVITY"

A Conference, organised by the Willesden and Hendon Productivity Association, will be held at the Headquarters of the F.B.I., at 21 Tothill Street, Westminster, S.W.1, on 22nd November, 1961.

The Chairman will be Mr. J. R. Wilkinson, Director and General Manager of Associated Electrical Industries (Manchester) Ltd., Switchgear Division, and speakers will include Mr. G. A. Hutcheson, M.I.Prod.E., Managing Director, National Union of Manufacturers' Advisory Service; Mr. F. E. Pearce, Director of Sales, Personnel Administration Ltd.; Mr. G. Y. Elliott, Senior Consultant, Personnel Administration Ltd.; Mr. R. S. Geoghegan, M.I.Prod.E., Director, E. G. Brisch & Partners.

The admission fee is three guineas. Requests for details and reservations, together with remittance, should be sent to : Mr. D. I. Duncan, A.E.I. Switchgear Division, 20 Neasden Lane, Willesden, N.W.10.

THREE-YEAR DEGREE COURSE IN PRODUCTION ENGINEERING

The Department of Mechanical Engineering in the University of Nottingham announces its intention of providing a three-year degree course in production engineering. The Senior Lecturer in charge of the course is Dr. W. B. Heginbotham, B.Sc.(Tech.), M.Sc.(Tech.), Ph.D.(Manchester), A.M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Prod.E.

Suitable applicants will be accepted as undergraduate students in Production Engineering from the 1962-1963 session onwards, and the course will normally lead to the Honours Degree of Bachelor of Science.

Full details may be obtained from the Department at University Park, Nottingham, and those interested are advised to make early application.

The International Journal of Production Research

a new forum for production research

The advancement of production engineering is dependent on continued research and this month, The Institution of Production Engineers will publish the first issue of a new quarterly Journal:

The International Journal of Production Research

The aim of the editorial board of the new Journal is to provide an international forum for production research work, for the advancement of scientific study of all factors which influence the production process. All aspects of production research will be covered — engineering, economics, mathematics, physiology, psychology.

The Journal will be of fundamental interest to all concerned with research into production processes, industrial skills, planning, co-ordination and production policy. The contents of the first issue are listed overleaf.

the editorial board

The new Journal will be edited by Professor N. A. Dudley, Head of the Department of Engineering Production in the University of Birmingham. He will be assisted by two Associate Editors: Dr. E. N. Corlett, Senior Research Fellow in the Department of Engineering Production, University of Birmingham; and Dr. S. Eilon, Reader in Production Engineering at Imperial College, University of London; and by the following panel of Consulting Editors:

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from the
Institution's
Research and
Technical
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For the past two years a sub-committee of the Institution's Research and Technical Committee has been investigating the possibilities of applying computers for production control applications in the manufacturing industries.

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A report of this investigation is now published by the Institution, under the title:

"Computers and Production Control"

The contents include a description of the various types of computer; a definition of production control and how it may be applied; the use of computers in production control; the economic assessment of a computer system; the conclusions reached by the sub-committee; and illustrative case studies.

Copies of the Report may be obtained from the Publications Department of the Institution, price 7s. 6d. each (including postage and packing) using the order form below.

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SOUTH-EASTERN REGION GRADUATE PRIZE COMPETITION

It is announced by the S.E. Region Committee that the successful entry in the 1960 - 1961 Graduate Prize Competition was submitted by **Mr. B. Johnson**, who received the £25 award for his Paper on "Gun Drills and Allied Tools".

At the time of submitting the Paper, Mr. Johnson was a Tooling Engineer with Borg-Warner Ltd., Letchworth, and a member of the Luton Graduate Section. Early this year he moved to Manchester, to take up the position of Chief Planning Engineer at the Automatic Transmission Division of Gresham & Graven Ltd.

THE 1961-1962 COMPETITION

The S. E. Region Committee are again running a Competition on similar lines this year. All Graduates and Students of the S.E. Region of the Institution may enter for the Competition, and the Prize will again be £25, with a Certificate as a permanent memento. In addition, the winner and the candidates whose entries reach a certain standard will be invited (with partner) to the Regional Dinner-Dance at the Savoy Hotel, London, on 30th November, 1962, where the presentation will be made.

Papers may be submitted on any subject within the field of Production Engineering. It is hoped that candidates will describe their own experiences in any aspect of Production Engineering rather than attempt to present a theoretical "textbook" Paper. Papers should not be less than 2,000 nor more than 6,000 words in length, and although they should preferably be typewritten, Papers in the candidate's own handwriting will be accepted.

Completed Papers must be submitted by **30th December, 1961**. Full details of the Competition and application forms may be obtained from : **The Institution of Production Engineers, 10 Chesterfield Street, Mayfair, London, W.1.** Envelopes should be marked "S.E. Region Graduate Prize".

SOUTH-EASTERN REGION DINNER-DANCE

The Annual Dinner-Dance of the South-Eastern Region of the Institution will be held at the **Savoy Hotel, London**, on **Friday, 24th November, 1961**, at **7.15 p.m. for 8 p.m.**, until **1 a.m.**

Tickets, price £2 12s. 6d. each, may be obtained from: **Miss M. Miles, Room 342, Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co. Ltd., Chelmsford, Essex.** Remittances should be made payable to "South-Eastern Region of the I.Prod.E.".

The number of tickets is limited to 350 and all applications will be dealt with in order of receipt.

BIRMINGHAM SECTION BUFFET-DANCE

The Birmingham Section announce the Annual Buffet Dance this year will be held at the **Botanical Gardens, Edgbaston, Birmingham**, on **Saturday, 2nd December**.

Dancing will continue from 7.45 p.m. to 11.45 p.m., and the evening will be enlivened by tombola, spot prizes, etc. This is a special occasion for the Section, as the President of the Institution, Mr. Harold Burke, will be present. It is hoped to see as many friends as are able to attend from the Midlands Region.

Tickets, price 21s. each, may be obtained from the Social Secretary, **Mr. H. W. Lawton**, c/o Henry W Lawton Ltd., Dudley Road East, Oldbury, Birmingham. Telephone : BROadwell 2541, or HILLside 1807.

SECTION MEETINGS

Visitors' Tickets may be obtained from Section Honorary Secretaries

NOVEMBER, 1961

EAST AND WEST RIDINGS REGION

Doncaster 7.00 p.m. November 14th
Technical College, Waterdale, Doncaster.
"Synthetic Fibres used in Engineering" by Mr. Lonsdale.

Halifax and Huddersfield 7.30 p.m. November 13th
Percival Whitley College of Further Education, Francis Street, Halifax.
"Design and Development of Machine Tools" by C. A. Sparks.

Leeds Graduate 10.00 a.m. November 4th
Works Visit to R. W. Crabtree & Sons Ltd., Water Lane, Leeds, 11.
Rendezvous : Main Entrance. Apply Honorary Secretary.

Sheffield 6.30 p.m. November 13th
Grand Hotel, Sheffield.
"Human Relations in Industry" by E. Fletcher.

Sheffield Graduate 7.00 p.m. November 20th
Practical Lecture and Visit to Earls Cement Works, Hope, Derbyshire.
"The Handling of Materials for the Manufacture of Cement" by a Representative of the Company.

EASTERN REGION

Ipswich and Colchester 7.30 p.m. November 10th
Britannia Works Canteen, Davey, Paxman & Co. Ltd., Colchester, Essex.
"Design for Packability" by J. E. Evan-Cook, J.P.
Joint Meeting with the Colchester Engineering Society.

Norwich 7.30 p.m. November 7th
The Canteen, J. Mackintosh & Sons Ltd., Norwich.
A Discussion : "I Have a Problem".

MIDLANDS REGION

Birmingham 7.00 p.m. November 15th
The James Watt Memorial Institute, Birmingham.
"Some Aspects of the Design of Machine Tools and Automation Equipment for the Future" by F. A. Lewis, Head of PERA Automation Section.

Birmingham Graduate 7.00 p.m. November 14th
The James Watt Memorial Institute, Birmingham.
"Stress Forming" by A. M. Redman.

Coventry 7.00 p.m. November 20th
Craven Arms Hotel, High Street, Coventry.
"Technique on Fine Boring" by J. R. Judkins, Heald Specialist, Alfred Herbert Ltd., Coventry.

Coventry Graduate 9.45 a.m. November 4th
Works Visit to Jaguar Cars Ltd., Brown's Lane, Coventry.
Rendezvous : The Showroom.
Numbers will be limited, Graduates only should apply to the Lecture Secretary.

Shrewsbury 7.00 p.m. for 7.30 p.m. November 10th
Dinner-Dance, Morris's Cafe, Shrewsbury.
Tickets : 25s. each. Evening Dress or Dark Lounge suits.

Wolverhampton 7.15 p.m. November 8th
Wolverhampton and Staffs. College of Technology.
"Industrial Research in Britain" by P. Spear, B.Sc.(Eng.), Grad.I.Prod.E.
Joint lecture with the Graduate Section.

Wolverhampton Graduate 2.00 p.m. November 9th
Works Visit to Talbot Stead Tube Co. Ltd., Walsall, Staffs.
Rendezvous : Talbot Stead.
No transport provided.

NORTHERN REGION 7.00 p.m. November 20th
Rutherford College of Technology, Northumberland Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, 1.
"Cold Metal Forging" by F. Howard.

NORTH MIDLANDS REGION 7.00 p.m. November 24th
Derby Louis Room, St. James's Restaurant, St. James's Street, Derby.
"Training Foremen" by D. B. Beynon, Labour Manager, F. H. Lloyd & Co. Ltd.
Joint Meeting with British Institute of Management.

Leicester 7.00 p.m. November 9th
Annual Dinner.
Kings Hall, Grand Hotel, Leicester.

Leicester 7.15 p.m. November 16th
The Grand Hotel, Leicester.
"The Russian Approach to Production" by M. Seaman, M.Sc., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Prod.E.

Loughborough College Student Section 7.30 p.m. November 16th
Room A1, Schofield Building, Loughborough College of Technology, Leicester.
"The Design of Bluebird" by D. L. Stevens.
Illustrated by slides and a 16 mm. film.

Lincoln 7.00 p.m. November 10th
Dinner-Dance.
Moor Lodge Hotel, Branston, near Lincoln.

Lincoln 7.30 p.m. November 30th
Ruston Club, Lincoln.
"Numerically Controlled Machine Tools" by R. C. Brewer.

Nottingham 7.00 p.m. November 1st
Nottingham Reform Club, Victoria Street, Nottingham.
"Fabrications in Aircraft Gas Turbine Engines" by W. E. Corbett.

Peterborough 7.30 p.m. November 15th
Conference Room, F. Perkins Ltd., Peterscourt, Peterborough.
"Surface Finish" by R. E. Reason.

NORTH WESTERN REGION
Liverpool Graduate 6.30 p.m. November 2nd
The Lecture Hall, Walker Art Gallery, Liverpool.
Film : "Dispute" followed by a discussion between representatives of Management and Trade Unions.
Joint Meeting with Merseyside Productivity Association.

Manchester Senior and Graduate 7.15 p.m. November 21st
Reynolds Hall, Manchester College of Science and Technology, Sackville Street, Manchester.
"Metal Spraying" by W. E. Ballard, F.R.I.C.

Preston 7.30 p.m. November 8th
The Harris College, Corporation Street, Preston.
"Spark Erosion" by P. J. C. Gough.

Stoke-on-Trent 7.30 p.m. November 23rd
Grand Hotel, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent.
"Trades Unions and Their Approach to Productivity" by
R. Slater.
Visitors welcome.

SCOTLAND REGION

Edinburgh 7.30 p.m. November 8th
North British Hotel, Princes Street, Edinburgh.
"Flow Turning" by E. J. Bennett.
An invitation is extended to all interested in this subject.
Glasgow 7.00 p.m. November 4th
Dinner-Dance.
Stuart Hotel, East Kilbride.
Tickets 30s.
Glasgow 7.30 p.m. November 16th
The Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders, 39 Elmbank Crescent, Glasgow, C.2.
"Chipless Turning" by E. J. Bennett.
Dundee 7.30 p.m. November 1st
Y.M.C.A. Hall, 10 Constitution Road, Dundee.
"Production Engineering Research" by J. C. Holmes, M.I.Prod.E., Rolls-Royce Ltd., Glasgow.

SOUTH EASTERN REGION

London — Brighton Group 7.00 p.m. November 22nd
A.P.V., Crawley.
"A Review of New Techniques in the Manipulation of Metals" by G. G. Dewsnap.
London 7.00 p.m. November 9th
The Royal Aeronautical Society, 4 Hamilton Place, London, W.1.
"Cold Forging" by F. Griffiths.
London Graduate 7.15 p.m. November 8th
10 Chesterfield Street, Mayfair, London, W.1.
"Flow Production of Alarm Clocks" by O. C. Hermann, Works Manager, Smiths Alarm Clocks Ltd.
Talk supported by a sound film on the production of alarm clocks at the Smiths Factory.
Luton 7.30 p.m. November 21st
Half-Way House, Dunstable Road, Luton.
"Static Switching Applied to Machine Tool Control" by W. G. Turner.

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EAST AND WEST RIDINGS REGION

Halifax and Huddersfield 7.30 p.m. December 4th
Lecture Theatre, Engineering Tower, Huddersfield Technical College.
"Work Study" by F. T. Mountford.
Leeds Graduate 10.00 a.m. December 2nd
Works Visit to Lawrence Wilson & Sons Ltd., Silver Cross, Guiseley, Yorks.
Rendezvous : Main Entrance.
Apply Honorary Secretary.

MIDLANDS REGION

Coventry Graduate 7.30 p.m. December 7th
Courtauld Lecture Theatre, Lockhurst Lane, Coventry.
"Problems Associated with the Export of Machine Tools" by C. E. Middlemass, General Manager, Associated British Machine Tool Makers Ltd.
Wolverhampton Graduate 2.15 p.m. December 6th
Works Visit to Lotus Ltd., Stafford.
Rendezvous : St. Georges Parade, Wolverhampton.
Coach transport provided.

NORTH MIDLANDS REGION

Loughborough Colleges 2.30 p.m. December 6th
Works Visit to Wolverhampton Die Casting Co. Ltd., Grazeley Hill, Wolverhampton.
Party limited to 20 Students.

Luton Graduate 7.30 p.m. November 14th
Tulip Room, Half-Way House Hotel, Luton Road, Dunstable.

"Test and Development of an Automobile for Volume Production" by H. A. Dean, M.I.Mech.E., of Vauxhall Motors Ltd.
Joint Meeting with The Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Eastern Graduate Section.

Rochester 7.30 p.m. November 16th
Sun Hotel, Chatham.
"Glass" by J. C. Elphée.

SOUTHERN REGION

Reading 7.30 p.m. November 16th
Great Western Hotel, Station Road, Reading.
"Cost Control for the Production Engineer" by F. G. S. English, M.I.Prod.E.

Southampton 7.15 p.m. November 16th
The Polygon Hotel, Southampton.
"Production Control-Provisioning Aspects" by H. Horne, M.I.Prod.E.

SOUTH WESTERN REGION

Western 7.00 p.m. for 7.30 p.m. November 30th
Dinner and Dance.
The Berkeley Cafe.
Tickets : 25s.; Dinner Suits.

Western Graduate 7.30 p.m. November 15th
The Small Lecture Theatre, Faculty of Engineering, Queen's Building, University of Bristol, University Walk, Bristol.
"Venue Open to Production Engineers" by F. Pitts, Personnel Manager, Bristol-Siddeley Engines Ltd.
Joint Meeting with The Institution of Mechanical Engineers.

WALES REGION

Swansea 7.00 p.m. November 13th
The Dragon Hotel, Kingsway, Swansea.
"Every Penny Counts : Purchased Out Cost Reductions" by G. G. Neill, Girling Ltd., Birmingham.

SOUTH EASTERN REGION

Peterborough 7.30 p.m. December 5th
Conference Room, F. Perkins Ltd., Peterscourt, Peterborough.
"Non Destructive Testing and Production Engineering" by J. F. Hinsley, F.I.M.
Joint Meeting with Peterborough Branch of Incorporated Plant Engineers.

SCOTLAND REGION

Glasgow 7.30 p.m. December 7th
The Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders, 39 Elmbank Crescent, Glasgow, C.2.
Open Discussion Night.

SOUTH EASTERN REGION

London 7.00 p.m. December 7th
The Royal Aeronautical Society, 4 Hamilton Place, London, W.1.
"The Assistance the Production Engineer can obtain from the Cost and Financial Accountant" by J. F. Hull, B.Sc.(Eng. Lon.), Grad.I.Prod.E., A.M.B.I.M., A.M.I.Loc.E.

Luton Graduate December 9th
Works Visit to Borg-Warner Ltd., Letchworth, Herts.

SOUTH WESTERN REGION

Western 7.30 p.m. December 6th
The Small Lecture Theatre, University of Bristol, Queens Walk, Bristol.
"Case Studies in the Application of Work Study", by G. R. Burn, A.M.I.Prod.E.

Production Appointments

BULLETIN No. 98 NOVEMBER, 1961

The last date for receiving material for insertion in the following month's bulletin is the 20th of each month, and cancellations cannot be accepted after this date. Correspondence should be addressed to : The Publications Department, The Institution of Production Engineers, 10 Chesterfield Street, Mayfair, London, W.1 (Telephone : GROsvenor 5254).

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Leicestershire.

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